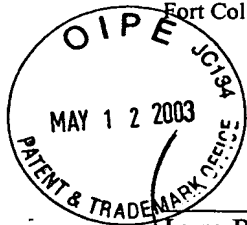


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In response to the Office Action dated March 12, 2003 (Paper No. 4), please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

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1. A display for use in controlling the execution of a functional device, said display comprising;

an electronic control system housed in association with said display, said electronic control system including a switch platform mounted to detect a touching about a periphery of said display and to provide a plurality of discrete output signals each indicative of a portion of said periphery at which said touching is detected.
2. The display of claim 1 wherein said display is a flat panel display.
3. The display according to claim 1 wherein:



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